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ACTION ON SEVERAL QUESTIONS OF

Boxmakers Denied Separate Organization-Debate on the Levying of a Per Capita Assessment.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. CINCINNATI, Dec. 19 .- The Hoosier capinational capital was the proper place for maintain an expensive lobby there during influence on labor legislation matters are tabooed by the Federation as a announced by Herr Legion, a member of body. Individually, however, some of the the Reichstag, was received with vociferous members are active politicians, and from

their talk outside the hall it was inferred

cers through the press associations. Henry vote resulted: Yeas, 1,594; nays, 730. As Marr presented the claims of Washington A very animated discussion followed under the pretext of seconding the nominations,

dent Gompers called the Federation to t was the general opinion that the connext Monday or Tuesday. The granting of a charter to the American Federation of Musicians, with over

The first ballot resulted: Washington, 1,705;

Chicago, 487. The selection of Washington

etion for affiliation with the National Asve council to renew its efforts for the Ephraim Clark, a seaman in the

action to revoke the charter of the New

charter separate from the National Amalgamated Association of Woodworkers. He acted by Congress. argued that boxes were made from paper and other material as well as from wood, The Federation reaffirmed its former action and again refused to grant the boxmakers

The Cincinnati Canvassers' Union was The committee on president's annual re-

port recommended the adoption of various suggestions therein considered ad seriatum and agreed to. Mr. Lloyd moved that the two representatives to visit Washington to work for the eight-hour bill be selected by the convention instead of being appointed by the executive council. This was agreed to. Treasurer Lennon moved that an assessment of 5 cents per capita be levied, payable by April 1, for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the two representatives and other expenses of the standing committee on the eight-hour law and legislation. As the membership is over 600,000, this levy would produce over \$30,000. A long discussion on the expenses of lobbying, printing and circulating literature and other work followed. Delegate Tobin moved to amend for an assessment of 1 per cent. per capita. Delegate McNeill, the father of the eight-hour movement, opsufficient for more general and effective President Gompers opposed a large as-

sessment and Delegate Lennon moved to amend so as to have an assessment of 2 cents per capita. The regular order was suspended for fraternal greetings. Delegate Henry Lloyd was selected to make the presentation speech, in which he presented Samuel Woods with an elegant diamond charm and John Mallinson with a gold watch. These two fraternal delegates from the British trades congress responded After recess consideration was resumed

of the motion for an assessment for expenses in securing an eight-hour law. It was decided to vote first on the highest amount, that of 5 cents per capita, and then on the propositions for 2 cents and 1

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zation of the national unions of core to action at this time, and three members makers and stationary engineers and that the bicycle workers and butchers would have national organizations before the convention adjourned. Communications were received to change the date for the next meeting, at Nashville, so as to be in session during the Tennessee Centennial Exposi-

MUSICIANS GIVEN CHARTER arbitration bill, pending in Congress. After long discussion the report was referred council to get a legal opinion on the bill, especially on Sections 5 and 6, and report to the convention on Monday next.

Resolutions were reported and adopted ment of committees on auditing and credentials, to be appointed by the president

were defeated to change the time for annual conventions from December to May and

Wood and Mallinson, having announce1 that they would depart to-night, Delegates | nition Duncan, Kelly, Fitzgerald, Rist and Lloyd were appointed to escort them to the railalso accompanied them to the station after adjournment. Farewell addresses were made by President Compers and others, with responses from Delegates Wood and

of bakers, brewers, builders and other trades, to be addressed by their national officers. The different amalgamated associations will also hold meetings, as well as the committees. In the afternon President Gompers will occupy the pulpit of Wesley Chapel for a public address on labor.

Voted to Continue the Strike. HAMBURG, Dec. 19.-A ballot taken by the discussion, for political strike, 3,671 votes being cast against the strike continuing. The result, which was

OLNEY SPEAKS AGAIN.

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think, too, that the majority of the comnition of the republic as an independent been inclined to think he is right on this point, and have not fully determined what the effect would be if the resolution should pass, notwithstanding the President's veto. put a stop to the horrible slaughter and barbarous brutality in an island almost in

by the Senate, before it is passed by the saying: If you pass it by both houses it will be vetoed, if passed by two-thirds majority over the veto it will be defied.' It s the most startling proposition coming from an executive officer "Worse than Andrew Johnson," said Sen-

sented Senator Chandler, "and a Cabinet officer issuing such a statement should be resolution over the veto and Mr. Cleveland Senator Daniel, member of the committee was not at the meeting yesterday and when not ready to say I favor the resolution. I am in favor of recognizing belligerency, but as to the independence, I desire to study

"I cannot conceive," said Senator Blanch-"that Secretary Olney could have pendence? If this authority does not exist in Cong ess it exists nowhere. The Presirecognize sovereignty. It is preposterous, the President desired to recognize Cuba and Congress was opposed, and that the olution of Congress declaring against rec-Could the President issue his trouble would have been avoided and the what force and effect would it have against positive law forbidding it, and would it be the ground of the treatment of American courts? It would seem not. If the Cuban to do.' resolution passed both houses of Congress, recommendation of the grievance commit- is vetoed by the President, and then passes tee, was given a hearing for the National over his veto, the Executive will be bound cciation of Boxmakers, which wanted a by his oath to give effect to it, just as he is bound to give effect to any other law en-Senator Hale said: "Secretary Olney is clearly right. Recognition rests with the The resolution would be

usurpation on the part of Congress of ex-ecutive functions. It is well that Secretary Olney has made the statement. It will afdirected to join the American Association ford an opportunity for the sober second thought of the people to find expression. Senator Thurston's Opinion.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19 .- United States Senator John M. Thurston, of Nebraska, said to a reporter to-day: "I have thought for some time that the condition of things in Cuba could not be allowed to exist indefinitely and I now think the time has come to take whatever action we properly can to bring the trouble to an end. I believe the Cubans have demonstrated they are able of time, in spite of the extraordinary ef-forts of the mother country to quell the uprising. That being the case, I believe we are justified in trying to bring about the independence of the Cuban people. This government by its position as the first great republic of the new world, holds a position of responsibility and trust. In addition to that our people have very great property and commercial interests in Cuba that are being destroyed by existing conditions. Spain can never hold Cuba. It is bound to become a republic and I think we had better assist in establishing it before the country is wholly devastated and its population exterminated. I have great doubts about the passing of the Cameron resolution at this session. I think there is a decided majority in both houses in favor of such action, but a determined minority has power to delay any action in the Senate for an almost indefinite period."

POOR SHOW IN THE HOUSE. The Resolution May Never Be Report-

ed by Mr. Hitt's Committee.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19 .- The statement by Secretary Olney of the administration's the House. Many of them declined to express their opinion of the interview, as sidered discourteous for one branch of the government to criticise the course of another. It was apparent, however, that Secretary Olney had made an impression on the House, and several leaders of the Republican side indorsed his views. The interview reopened discussion of the question whether recognition of the independence or belligerency of another government was an executive or legislative act, a question which had been warmly debated before the foreign affairs committee when the resolutions to recognize the insurgents as beligerents were under consideration last see

The sentiment among members of the foreign affairs committee of the House is so strongly in favor of radical action

cent in the event of the defeat of the mo-tion for an assessment of 5 cents. The last session. It is evident from the converproposition for an assessment of 5 cents per capita was voted down overwhelmingly.

The proposition for an assessment of 2 cents per capita was also defeated—yes, 665; next administration comes into power, unnext administration comes into power c mays, 1,516. The proposition for an assess-ment of 1 cent per capita was adopted al-tion in the island which would demand most unanimously and the report of the action or much new evidence regarding committee on the eight-hour law was the conditions there be secured. Messrs. Hitt, Draper and Adams, the members of the subcommittee on Cuba, are all opposed at least who voted for recognition of bel-

Whatever disposition the

make of the resolution it is improbable the House for a vote during this session. The Republican leaders whose hands are The committee on arbitration reported on the throttle and who direct the course against the indorsement of the Erdman of legislation will exert all their influence back to the committee and the executive the Senate passed the resolution the Cuban enthusiasts in the House would vote House, without the formality of referring from the committee on law for the appoint- ties of this nature it is probable that the of action. Most members predict that if ten days in advance of annual conventions | the resolution or any prepared to help the and to meet three days in advance, so as Cuban revolution were put to a vote before the House it would be adopted by a large majority, but many who advance this prediction express the hope that they may not be called on to record their votes. They do not wish to be placed in the attitude for extending the terms of officers from one of opposing any struggle for the establishment of a republic, yet they do think that the reports from Cuba up to date are too conflicting and indefinite to justify recog-

Speaker Reed and is acquainted with the way station. Most of the other delegates | speaker's views on the question said, toseveral senators, and it can be talked to uson, after which the convention in- death. If it was brought before the House it would be passed by a strong majority, because many members would vote against they believe to be the public sentiment of certainly justify interference by this government. It is possible that the question might be raised in the House as a privi-

> to the speaker in the leadership of the polleyed that it was the best policy for Congress to leave diplomatic matters to the proper department of the government. When the legislative branch of the govern-

our treaties, and to the real interests of the

sight of our shores that I am disposed to committee in case it comes to the House give the insurgents the benefit of all and pass it without further ceremony. Cubans passed last session are decidedly unfriendly to the Cameron resolution and proceeding very slowly and carefully in

Mr. Quidd, of New York, member of the foreign affairs committee, said: "The extremists in both houses tion that the power which may declare war out of the city. A Republican member who voted in the committee last session for the

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long ago if the executive had interfered on

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